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COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)

Docket No.

A33606-PCT-USA-071235.0111

In Re Application Of: JOHN HISCOTT, ET AL

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
09/647,965	10/06/2000	Terry A. McKelvey	21003	1636	7406

Invention: HIGHLY ACTIVE FORMS OF INTERFERON REGULATORY FACTOR PROTEINS

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of July 13, 2004 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: October 13, 2004 *Date* until: December 13, 2004 *Date*

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	13 -	107 =	0	x \$9.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	1 -	4 =	0	x \$44.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$225.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$225.00

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Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.

Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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